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Blum, Jon Michael 71

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CONFIDENTIAL RECORD SHEET

REGISTRATION AND FULFILLMENT SERVICE

BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA

DATE October 14, 1971

FULL NAME JON MICHAEL BLUM

(No initials if you can possibly get full name)

ADDRESS 2124 West Cactus Wren

CITY Phoenix STATE Arizona ZIP CODE _____

AGE 24 DOB 4-15-47 (This is important and should be exact)

APPROXIMATE AGE _____ (To be used ONLY when exact age is not known)

RELIGION _____ NATIONALITY _____

OCCUPATION _____

EDUCATION _____

WEIGHT 150 COLOR Caucasian HEIGHT 5'11"

COLOR OF HAIR Brown COLOR OF EYES Hazel

OUTSTANDING CHARACTERISTICS OR INTERESTS Also a National Rifle Association Instructor

MARRIED OR SINGLE Single CHILDREN None
(Number, ages, and names, if possible)

WIFE'S NAME -

SCOUTING CONNECTIONS:

<u>UNIT #</u>	<u>CITY</u>	<u>STATE</u>	<u>OFFICE</u>	<u>DATE REGISTERED</u>	<u>DATE RESIGNED</u>
Tr. 206	Phoenix	Ariz.	SM	Oct. 2, 1970	Oct. 71

SPECIAL RECOGNITION _____

RECOMMENDED FOR CONFIDENTIAL FILE FOR FOLLOWING REASONS:

Under investigation by the Phoenix Arizona Police for child molesting. Has various other police records for various accounts.

Signed _____
SCOUT EXECUTIVE

Council _____

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October 26, 1971

Mr. Merle J. Krulish
Scout Executive
Theodore Roosevelt Council, No. 10

Personal and Confidential
Re: Jon Michael Blum

Dear Mr. Krulish:

Thank you for your letter of October 15, 1971 and the enclosed pertinent information you sent concerning, Jon Michael Blum. This is exactly the type of information we require for our Confidential File and we appreciate your efforts in getting it for us.

This information will be most important in the future, should this man ever again attempt to register in Scouting.

Sincerely,

Paul Ernst, Supervisor
Registration and Membership

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THEODORE ROOSEVELT COUNCIL, INC.

BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA P. O. BOX 7278, PHOENIX, ARIZONA 85011

October 15, 1971

Mr. Paul Ernst
Registration Service
National Council
Boy Scouts of America
North Brunswick, New Jersey 08902

PERSONAL & CONFIDENTIAL

Dear Paul:

The attached report from one of our District Executives concerning Jon Michael Blum is self-explanatory. We believe the information is sufficient for placing his record in the confidential file.

Sincerely,

A handwritten signature in cursive script, appearing to read "Merle".

MERLE J. KRULISH
Scout Executive

MJK:am

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THEODORE ROOSEVELT COUNCIL, INC.

BOY SCOUTS OF AMERICA P.O. BOX 7278, PHOENIX, ARIZONA 85011

SUBJECT: Withdrawal of Scoutmastership of Jon Michael Blum

DATE: October 14, 1971

TO: John C. Kitchel, Director of Field Service

On October 12, 1971 I was informed by an interested party that Scoutmaster Jon Michael Blum of Troop 206 was under investigation by the Phoenix Arizona Police for "child molesting".

I contacted the Phoenix Police Department, explaining who I was and asked if Jon M. Blum was under investigation. Because of legal technicalities, the police could not tell me anything.

I then called a member of the detective bureau who I know and explained the situation, telling him that if the allegations were true then I would take the necessary steps to remove Jon Blum from Scoutings' roster.

The official records of the Phoenix Arizona Police list the following:

- A. In 1966, subject individual was arrested and charged with "child molesting and sodomy". When appearing in court, subject was permitted to plead guilty to a lesser charge of "aggravated assault". He was placed on "five years probation".
- B. In 1969, Blum was again arrested and charged with "contributing to the delinquency of a minor". Since he was on probation, his probation was revoked and he was sentenced to "one year" with credit given for the time spent in jail awaiting trial.

From February 14, 1969 to August 28, 1969 Jon was held in the Maricopa County Jail. From August 28, 1969 to March 25, 1970 he was an inmate of the Arizona State Prison.

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Jon Michael Blum was born on April 15, 1947 in Phoenix, Arizona. He has lived all of this time in Arizona except for 9 months in New Jersey, 1 1/2 years in South Dakota, and 23 months in California between the ages of 12-16.

He is caucasian, 5'11" tall, weight 150, has brown hair, and hazel eyes. He has never been married and presently lives at 2124 West Cactus Wren in Phoenix.

He registered as a volunteer Scouter in the Theodore Roosevelt Council on October 2, 1970.

On October 14, 1971 Jon walked into my office and I confronted him about these facts. He said he had walked in to resign because he was under the impression the police had him under investigation for "aiding and abetting a juvenile". He freely admitted the above were facts.

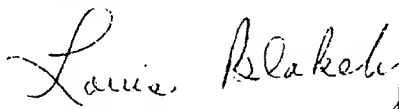
He also stated that he had discussed with his probation officer the idea of becoming a Scoutmaster before he volunteered to become a volunteer Scouter. The officer supposedly encouraged him to join Scouting and not to voluntarily tell of his prison record.

I explained to Jon that unfortunately, the probation officer did not work for Scouting and that we could not accept a person in the Scouting ranks with such a police record. Jon agreed and I asked for his "registration card". He did not have the card on his person, but said he would bring it into me along with the troop equipment that he has in his possession.

Jon was also a National Rifle Association Instructor and was conducting a training session for the N.R.A. His N.R.A. instructors permit has been suspended.

Blum was very hospitable during this interview which was conducted in the presence of John C. Kitchel, Director of Field Service, Theodore Roosevelt Council, Inc.

Respectfully submitted,



LOUIS BLAKELY
District Scout Executive

LB:am

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